



Atty. Dkt. No. 024018-0111

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Han Oh PARK *et al.*
Title: POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION
OF DNA OF WHICH BASE
SEQUENCE IS COMPLETELY
UNKNOWN
Appl. No.: 09/849,597
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2001. Applicants hereby provisionally elect the claims of Group I, claims 1 and 3-12, for examination on the merits. Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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